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SOURCES OF THE PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS OF THE UNITED STATES DURING THE FIVE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 1896.

The following tables, showing the principal sources from which have come the more important of the agricultural products imported into the United States during the last five years, were prepared in accordance with instructions issued by the Secretary of Agriculture under date of October 19, 1896. Similar tables, showing the countries to which our leading agricultural exports were shipped during the same period, have also been compiled, and will be made the subject-matter of another circular to be issued in the near future. The figures used in each case were taken from the official commerce reports published by the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department.

The tables in the present circular are arranged in two series, the first relating to the values¹ and the second to the quantities of the articles imported. In the case of several articles, however, the values only are stated, no returns having been made as to quantity. To facilitate a comparison of the figures in the two sets of tables, cross references are given from each statement of values to the corresponding statement of quantities, and vice versa. In addition to the values and quantities imported annually from the leading countries of supply in the five years under consideration, the tables exhibit for each article the average importations per annum during the five-year period, and also the per cent received from each country.

An index to the articles included in the circular is printed on page 24.

¹The values of articles imported into the United States since August 1, 1890, are governed by the provisions of section 19 of the act of June 10, 1890, which prescribes that the values of imported merchandise subject to ad valorem rates of duty, and duty imposed upon and regulated in any manner by the value thereof, shall be "the actual market value or wholesale price of such merchandise as bought and sold in usual wholesale quantities, at the time of exportation to the United States, in the principal markets of the country from whence imported, and in the condition in which such merchandise is there bought and sold for exportation to the United States, or consigned to the United States for sale, including the value of all cartons, cases, crates, boxes, sacks, and coverings of any kind, and all costs, charges, and expenses incident to placing the merchandise in condition, packed ready for shipment to the United States." From the foregoing it will be seen that the values returned for imports into the United States do not include the cost of freight on the goods from the foreign port whence shipped.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896.

CATTLE. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>P. ct. b</i>
United Kingdom	6,438	8,469	463	15,515	6,684	7,514	1.6
Canada	33,109	17,532	3,178	25,071	18,902	19,558	4.1
Mexico	7,740	16,376	11,857	720,864	1,481,954	447,758	93.8
Other countries	179	3,305	3,206	4,403	2,316	2,682	.5
Total	47,466	45,682	18,704	765,853	1,509,856	477,512	100

HORSES. *a*

Belgium	17,204	5,487	4,922	586	11,580	4,538	0.3
France	162,847	50,168	4,922	586	11,580	46,021	2.9
Germany	28,421	34,083	749	6,386	7,948	15,517	1.0
United Kingdom	741,138	790,349	638,283	317,206	92,073	515,810	32.7
Canada	1,468,272	1,467,474	605,664	704,420	499,767	949,119	60.2
Mexico	1,384	1,475	2,203	18,853	19,748	8,733	.6
Other countries	36,602	39,231	67,751	7,740	31,475	36,560	2.3
Total	2,455,868	2,388,267	1,319,572	1,055,191	662,591	1,576,298	100

SHEEP. *a*

France	5,947	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,189	0.1
Germany	876	268	2,373	.....	11	705	.....
United Kingdom	95,585	25,268	12,987	5,778	6,735	29,271	2.7
Canada	1,336,869	1,652,349	772,643	674,491	845,552	1,056,381	97.0
Mexico	1,225	5,065	123	2,349	1,232	1,999	.2
Other countries	28	27	55	.....	.....	22	.....
Total	1,440,530	1,682,977	788,181	682,618	853,530	1,089,567	100

ANIMALS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED, INCLUDING FOWLS.

France	29,613	18,011	11,322	10,195	6,223	15,073	4.8
Germany	109,712	98,192	127,614	111,912	106,977	110,881	35.4
Spain	9,403	27,268	29,748	2,828	5	13,850	4.4
United Kingdom	73,975	86,175	33,495	41,098	41,770	55,303	17.6
Canada	41,512	244,169	45,820	30,825	40,587	80,583	25.7
Mexico	9,908	13,475	10,232	17,934	17,110	13,732	4.4
Cuba	11,316	12,767	6,036	6,159	3,117	7,870	2.5
Other countries	22,313	25,212	10,522	12,465	10,711	16,244	5.2
Total	307,752	525,269	274,789	233,416	226,500	313,545	100

BRISTLES. *a*

France	165,915	244,047	120,568	135,389	187,242	170,632	13
Germany	871,357	739,222	540,055	600,432	722,794	694,772	52.9
Russia	205,148	181,609	142,109	210,499	143,545	176,582	13.4
United Kingdom	201,886	319,328	94,166	260,923	302,084	235,677	17.9
China	5,671	13,307	27,061	28,903	62,527	27,494	2.1
Other countries	5,081	10,745	5,272	8,005	17,156	9,252	.7
Total	1,455,058	1,508,258	929,231	1,244,151	1,435,348	1,314,409	100

CHEESE. *a*

Belgium	12,074	9,811	7,503	8,938	15,754	10,816	0.8
France	114,512	130,033	113,300	135,752	142,509	127,221	9.3
Germany	38,513	33,930	22,460	27,876	53,969	35,350	2.6
Italy	287,038	347,380	332,903	387,351	475,940	366,122	26.7
Netherlands	140,019	137,033	114,380	105,851	107,838	121,024	8.8
Switzerland	595,952	710,402	619,512	749,283	651,841	665,398	48.6
United Kingdom	19,046	24,524	18,317	19,272	24,929	21,218	1.5
Canada	12,156	14,512	6,926	5,078	4,919	8,718	.6
Other countries	18,856	18,302	11,897	11,256	13,639	14,790	1.1
Total	1,238,166	1,425,927	1,247,198	1,450,657	1,491,338	1,370,657	100

a For quantities, see page 14.

b Percentages amounting to less than 0.05 per cent are not stated.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE.

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i> <i>P. ct.</i>
Austria-Hungary	138, 252	281, 145	91, 518	115, 197	164, 790	158, 181 14.4
Belgium	50, 100	40, 605	15, 373	10, 082	42, 971	31, 826 2.9
France	119	8, 253		235, 290	234, 284	95, 589 8.7
Germany	91, 748	171, 072	74, 870	52, 161	67, 246	91, 479 8.3
United Kingdom	126, 727	120, 367	43, 905	1, 016, 402	1, 476, 362	556, 753 50.7
Brazil				75, 086	92, 778	33, 573 3.1
Venezuela				58, 763	92, 174	30, 187 2.7
Other countries	36, 830	32, 895	38, 183	183, 686	216, 199	101, 559 9.2
Total	443, 776	654, 337	263, 849	1, 746, 967	2, 386, 804	1, 099, 147 100

GREASE.

Belgium	23, 268	21, 348	8, 120	11, 192	9, 794	14, 744	2.1
France	30, 529	59, 829	55, 260	327, 435	271, 599	148, 931	21.2
Germany	120, 489	132, 737	65, 614	208, 148	159, 709	137, 339	19.6
Italy	30, 750	129, 773	87, 349	178, 304	146, 677	114, 571	16.3
United Kingdom	65, 681	60, 432	35, 522	473, 162	494, 698	225, 899	32.2
Canada	447	1, 904	804	62, 660	78, 157	28, 794	4.1
Newfoundland and Labrador		124	294	49, 174	31, 370	16, 192	2.3
Other countries	257	13, 478	3, 324	21, 833	39, 997	15, 778	2.2
Total	271, 421	419, 625	256, 287	1, 331, 908	1, 232, 001	702, 248	100

HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED.

Austria-Hungary	38, 337	41, 079	34, 515	29, 972	29, 573	34, 695	2.5
Belgium	40, 982	31, 452	6, 570	30, 042	24, 998	26, 809	1.9
France	71, 001	115, 197	39, 522	79, 992	70, 704	75, 283	5.4
Germany	247, 183	319, 577	158, 763	224, 601	242, 636	238, 552	17.2
Italy	29, 096	34, 096	31, 267	37, 734	42, 489	34, 936	2.5
Russia	149, 400	69, 504	34, 531	24, 182	47, 967	65, 117	4.7
United Kingdom	447, 138	557, 000	142, 345	225, 505	307, 431	335, 884	24.2
Mexico	60, 557	61, 711	57, 064	43, 846	43, 261	53, 288	3.8
Argentina	223, 114	283, 920	141, 785	214, 820	223, 646	217, 457	15.7
Brazil	208, 849	268, 693	92, 716	101, 009	92, 742	152, 802	11
Uruguay	136, 493	175, 591	66, 439	121, 514	80, 275	116, 062	8.4
Other countries	33, 412	47, 976	34, 455	32, 727	38, 355	37, 385	2.7
Total	1, 685, 562	2, 005, 796	839, 972	1, 165, 944	1, 244, 077	1, 388, 270	100

HIDES AND SKINS: GOATSKINS.^a

Austria-Hungary	49, 521	237, 895	156, 973	240, 279	312, 566	199, 447	1.8
France	504, 524	800, 438	354, 954	1, 104, 572	826, 934	718, 285	6.6
Germany	313, 363	447, 023	363, 801	637, 708	274, 067	407, 192	3.8
Italy	79, 233	138, 886	79, 807	112, 472	91, 447	100, 369	.9
Russia	347, 796	512, 195	264, 927	633, 596	647, 099	481, 123	4.4
Turkey, European	229, 653	179, 250	132, 223	264, 847	240, 322	209, 259	1.9
United Kingdom	1, 520, 458	1, 180, 433	954, 641	609, 308	561, 635	965, 295	8.9
Mexico	1, 123, 258	1, 074, 565	973, 946	898, 058	733, 938	960, 753	8.9
Argentina	611, 741	663, 075	516, 184	519, 700	445, 523	551, 245	5.1
Brazil	2, 111, 661	1, 501, 481	1, 154, 558	1, 146, 822	1, 180, 661	1, 419, 037	13.1
Peru	211, 595	253, 337	211, 316	221, 676	242, 088	228, 002	2.1
Venezuela	327, 984	361, 026	348, 668	450, 557	389, 287	375, 504	3.5
China	335, 436	428, 227	367, 892	426, 725	460, 662	403, 788	3.7
British East Indies	2, 028, 195	2, 565, 946	1, 311, 274	1, 953, 048	1, 913, 948	1, 954, 482	18
Turkey, Asiatic	18, 154	61, 964	81	161, 516	74, 895	63, 322	.6
British Africa	143, 221	222, 383	24, 547	53, 710	70, 420	102, 856	.9
French Africa	248, 817	147, 015	22, 521	207, 146	168, 966	158, 893	1.5
Other countries	1, 353, 357	2, 069, 106	1, 344, 853	1, 313, 086	b1, 669, 937	1, 550, 068	14.3
Total	11, 557, 967	12, 844, 245	8, 583, 166	10, 954, 827	10, 304, 395	10, 848, 920	100

^a For quantities, see page 15.

^b Of this amount, \$702,196 worth was imported from Aden. The amount imported from Aden in previous years was not separately stated.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

HIDES AND SKINS, OTHER THAN GOATSKINS. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Belgium.....	268, 813	342, 986	73, 888	652, 752	206, 196	308, 927	2.1
France.....	377, 520	691, 847	42, 677	832, 058	597, 732	508, 367	3.4
Germany.....	311, 231	575, 121	161, 000	829, 457	942, 770	563, 916	3.8
Russia.....	101, 044	265, 635	19, 242	19, 454	70, 206	95, 116	.6
Switzerland.....	39, 171	173, 175	38, 912	197, 629	177, 158	125, 209	.8
Turkey, European.....	17, 728	12, 452	13, 803	34, 707	43, 940	24, 526	.2
United Kingdom.....	3, 420, 515	4, 398, 078	2, 064, 900	3, 426, 031	3, 422, 637	3, 346, 432	22.5
Canada.....	548, 277	458, 546	322, 731	981, 929	1, 185, 893	699, 475	4.7
Mexico.....	581, 614	579, 210	464, 331	535, 887	785, 363	589, 281	4.
Argentina.....	2, 853, 990	2, 509, 751	1, 765, 370	3, 662, 304	5, 457, 901	3, 249, 863	21.9
Brazil.....	663, 285	697, 578	286, 544	470, 383	986, 355	620, 829	4.2
Colombia.....	568, 207	613, 710	387, 050	417, 447	629, 365	523, 156	3.5
Uruguay.....	1, 609, 977	1, 183, 397	1, 162, 539	1, 378, 050	2, 139, 896	1, 494, 772	10.1
Venezuela.....	402, 717	277, 515	143, 918	414, 208	718, 124	391, 296	2.6
British East Indies.....	515, 743	375, 691	162, 073	291, 655	622, 533	393, 539	2.6
British Australasia.....	1, 523, 419	1, 083, 116	409, 150	268, 525	1, 056, 603	868, 163	5.8
Other countries.....	1, 489, 000	1, 265, 843	684, 858	755, 639	1, 173, 110	1, 073, 690	7.2
Total.....	15, 292, 251	15, 503, 651	8, 202, 986	15, 168, 115	20, 215, 782	14, 876, 557	100.

SILK, RAW, INCLUDING COCOONS. *a*

France.....	1, 491, 890	1, 886, 065	1, 005, 086	1, 448, 249	1, 704, 745	1, 507, 207	6.3
Italy.....	5, 033, 057	7, 320, 284	3, 787, 790	4, 903, 277	4, 606, 496	5, 130, 181	21.3
Turkey, European.....	17, 023	40, 900	.....	2, 683	660	12, 253	.1
United Kingdom.....	115, 317	169, 033	58, 206	147, 593	147, 388	127, 507	.5
China.....	5, 211, 003	5, 496, 082	3, 189, 612	5, 661, 601	6, 723, 484	5, 256, 357	21.8
Japan.....	13, 168, 499	14, 869, 581	8, 151, 525	10, 393, 780	12, 987, 796	11, 914, 236	49.4
Other countries.....	22, 536	55, 041	41, 963	68, 873	592, 859	156, 254	.6
Total.....	25, 059, 325	29, 836, 986	16, 234, 182	22, 626, 056	26, 763, 428	24, 103, 995	100

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 1, CLOTHING. *b*

Belgium.....	25, 645	17, 603	17	375, 503	1, 243, 690	332, 491	3.2
France.....	17, 187	5, 697	192	741, 468	1, 677, 023	488, 313	4.7
Germany.....	32, 028	23, 136	9, 388	15, 986	66, 047	29, 317	.3
Spain.....				7, 742	9, 173	3, 383	.....
United Kingdom.....	5, 365, 982	5, 637, 211	720, 913	7, 684, 310	9, 810, 493	5, 843, 782	56.3
Canada.....	15, 857	16, 729	11, 220	243, 714	214, 005	100, 305	1
Mexico.....	34	9, 551	10	2, 728	3, 940	3, 253	.....
Argentina.....	39, 811	14, 166	244	778, 720	871, 305	340, 849	3.3
Brazil.....	95, 537	103, 728	6, 955	26, 131	5, 358	47, 542	.4
Chile.....	174, 059	44, 306	29, 325	45, 070	123, 871	83, 326	.8
Peru.....		855		2, 094	16, 977	3, 985	.....
Uruguay.....	579, 975	81, 540	29, 618	1, 098, 716	933, 033	544, 576	5.2
British Australasia.....	3, 018, 673	1, 662, 895	795, 147	1, 846, 648	3, 559, 101	2, 176, 493	21
Hawaii.....	9, 400			10, 627	16, 238	7, 253	.1
British Africa.....	140, 002	258, 372	145, 243	435, 504	890, 363	373, 897	3.6
Other countries.....	9, 583	887	87	20, 641	7, 854	7, 811	.1
Total.....	9, 523, 773	7, 876, 676	1, 748, 359	13, 335, 602	19, 448, 471	10, 386, 576	100

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 2, COMBING. *b*

Belgium.....				8, 748		1, 750	0.1
France.....	6, 837	813	156	25, 596	120, 975	30, 875	1.6
Germany.....	1, 785	3, 298	122	2, 360	10, 183	3, 550	.2
Turkey, European.....	257, 172	167, 180	56, 867	239, 139	253, 374	194, 746	10.4
United Kingdom.....	814, 118	1, 031, 965	301, 084	1, 276, 531	1, 597, 112	1, 004, 162	53.5
Canada.....	226, 318	256, 186	33, 737	1, 041, 721	795, 824	470, 757	25.1
Argentina.....				23, 544	463, 875	97, 484	5.2
Peru.....	33	559	1, 068		9, 850	2, 302	.1
China.....	16, 365			4, 916	562	4, 368	.2
British East Indies.....			1	12	6, 242	1, 251	.1
Turkey, Asiatic.....	30, 217	19	2, 768	6, 653	201, 078	48, 146	2.6
British Australasia.....	10, 357		1, 079	286	27, 639	7, 872	.4
British Africa.....	5, 452	5, 444	1, 396		9, 562	4, 371	.2
Other countries.....		1, 177	1, 602	16, 823	4, 712	4, 863	.3
Total.....	1, 368, 654	1, 466, 641	399, 875	2, 637, 581	3, 509, 736	1, 876, 497	100

a For quantities, see page 15.

b For quantities, see page 16.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 3, CARPET.^a

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	
Austria-Hungary.....	Dollars. 105,263	Dollars. 287,738	Dollars. 21,289	Dollars. 48,155	Dollars. 30,299	Dollars. 98,549 P. ct. 1.1
Belgium.....		1,414		80,553	147,342	45,862 .5
France.....	527,147	780,522	102,698	753,541	668,307	566,443 6.5
Germany.....	30,723	155,849	21,231	115,417	158,329	96,310 1.1
Russia.....	2,779,758	2,723,317	874,017	1,350,072	1,135,019	1,772,436 20.3
Turkey, European.....	151,708	254,119	78,306	169,780	505,697	231,922 2.7
United Kingdom.....	1,561,412	2,992,952	683,978	2,818,448	3,271,652	2,265,888 26
Argentina.....	1,337,631	1,325,121	779,227	1,610,625	1,283,077	1,267,136 14.5
Brazil.....	8,651	9,867	2,504	2,129	11,524	6,935 .1
Chile.....	63,125	89,566	80,295	133,274	136,514	100,561 1.2
Uruguay.....	7,807	4,082	1,118	901	4,556	3,693 -----
China.....	1,299,941	1,811,427	818,157	1,694,498	1,600,280	1,444,861 16.6
British East Indies.....	58,807	35,283	21,481	122,765	3,115	48,290 .6
Turkey, Asiatic.....	831,549	1,202,832	371,738	639,698	471,704	703,508 8.1
Other countries.....	32,159	46,724	103,165	42,382	65,620	58,010 .7
Total.....	8,795,681	11,720,863	3,959,204	9,583,238	9,493,035	8,710,404 100

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED (TOTAL).^b

Belgium.....	25,645	19,017	17	456,056	1,399,780	380,103	1.8
France.....	551,171	787,032	103,046	1,520,605	2,466,305	1,068,632	5.2
Germany.....	64,536	182,283	30,741	133,763	234,559	129,176	.6
Russia.....	2,779,758	2,723,317	874,017	1,352,220	1,135,469	1,772,956	.8.5
Turkey, European.....	408,880	421,299	135,173	410,363	759,071	426,945	2
United Kingdom.....	7,741,512	9,662,128	1,705,975	11,780,289	14,679,257	9,113,822	43.5
Canada.....	242,512	273,481	89,519	1,288,393	1,009,845	580,750	2.8
Argentina.....	1,377,442	1,339,287	779,471	2,412,889	2,618,257	1,705,469	8.1
Chile.....	237,184	133,902	109,620	178,344	260,385	183,887	.9
Uruguay.....	587,782	85,622	30,736	1,099,895	937,589	548,325	2.6
China.....	1,318,706	1,812,250	818,157	1,699,414	1,600,842	1,449,874	6.9
British East Indies.....	58,807	35,283	21,482	122,777	9,357	49,541	.2
Turkey, Asiatic.....	861,766	1,202,871	374,501	646,351	673,289	751,756	3.6
British Australasia.....	3,029,030	1,681,811	842,522	1,846,934	3,586,740	2,197,408	10.5
British Africa.....	145,460	265,386	148,613	438,696	909,480	381,527	1.8
Other countries.....	257,917	439,211	43,848	169,492	171,017	216,297	1
Total.....	19,688,108	21,064,180	6,107,438	25,556,421	32,451,242	20,973,478	100

BARLEY.^b

Canada.....	1,591,305	921,301	358,553	839,605	316,646	805,482	99.3
Other countries.....	735	304	191	28,138	563	5,986	.7
Total.....	1,592,040	921,605	358,744	867,743	317,209	811,468	100

WHEAT AND WHEAT FLOUR.^b

Canada.....	1,948,707	702,960	768,486	867,853	1,386,117	1,134,825	99.4
Other countries.....	10,909	6,316	2,637	9,407	6,892	7,232	.6
Total.....	1,959,616	709,276	771,123	877,260	1,393,009	1,142,057	100

COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED.^b

United Kingdom.....	990,742	1,252,885	814,555	1,736,546	1,189,070	1,196,759	26.9
Peru.....	267,518	422,992	166,046	128,959	209,319	238,967	5.4
China.....	1,064	2,273	3,428	7,761	4,807	3,867	.1
French Oceanica.....	35,137	68,839	79,120	21,615	31,402	47,223	1.1
Egypt.....	1,856,885	2,924,722	1,930,987	2,798,272	5,129,256	2,928,024	65.9
Other countries.....	66,175	17,088	9,752	21,222	14,358	25,719	.6
Total.....	3,217,521	4,688,799	3,003,888	4,714,375	6,578,212	4,440,559	100

^a For quantities, see page 16.

^b For quantities, see page 17.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

FLAX, AND TOW OF. a

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
Belgium	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	P. ct.
Belgium	84,956	75,758	52,917	135,661	152,731	100,405	5.5
France	240,360	143,875	92,420	148,812	90,930	143,279	7.9
Netherlands	163,915	161,730	80,699	202,789	251,091	172,049	9.5
Russia	233,322	168,100	199,474	148,111	378,222	225,446	12.5
United Kingdom	932,026	1,020,657	684,430	1,093,880	696,933	885,585	49
Canada	287,397	276,261	212,569	316,353	216,564	261,829	14.5
Other countries	22,187	32,751	14,336	13,685	17,957	20,183	1.1
Total	1,964,163	1,879,152	1,336,845	2,059,291	1,804,428	1,808,776	100

HEMP, AND TOW OF. b

Belgium	15,483	18,915	12,364	25,453	11,380	16,719	2.3
Germany	56,655	49,514	10,772	36,016	55,911	41,773	5.9
Italy	352,503	408,087	145,915	482,499	532,185	384,238	54
Russia	84,308	77,368	38,651	70,588	114,154	77,014	10.8
United Kingdom	168,926	129,728	30,851	191,995	207,059	145,712	20.5
Mexico .....	.....	.....	1,300	64,243	144,708	42,050	5.9
Other countries	8,934	1,873	65	11,967	4,106	4,389	6
Total	681,809	685,485	239,918	882,761	1,069,503	711,895	100

JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS. b

United Kingdom	128,173	83,979	57,578	390,099	154,499	162,866	6.8
British East Indies	2,892,969	2,383,849	1,656,458	2,351,942	1,763,907	2,209,825	92.4
French East Indies	352,503	408,087	145,915	482,499	532,185	384,238	54
Other countries	168,926	129,728	30,851	191,995	207,059	145,712	20.5
Total	3,021,174	2,467,828	1,716,298	2,752,966	2,001,206	2,391,894	100

MANILA FIBER. b

United Kingdom	2,789,441	2,115,787	675,369	455,448	1,040,951	1,415,399	26.5
Philippine Islands	3,798,842	6,217,192	3,324,223	3,572,236	2,499,491	3,882,397	72.6
Other countries	83,996	43,391	13,663	32,833	64,140	47,605	.9
Total	6,672,279	8,376,370	4,013,255	4,060,517	3,604,585	5,345,401	100

SISAL GRASS. b

Mexico	5,019,193	5,904,117	3,691,178	2,734,909	3,339,180	4,137,715	98.1
Cuba	108,313	2,314	48,535	2,260	442	32,373	.8
British Australasia	55,631	72,207	.....	.....	.....	25,568	.6
Other countries	4,483	26,846	2,360	6,227	73,138	22,611	.5
Total	5,187,620	6,005,484	3,742,073	2,743,396	3,412,760	4,218,267	100

SUGAR. b

Austria-Hungary	1,828,285	1,098,793	1,423,983	178,472	958,402	1,097,407	1.1
Belgium	1,122,854	2,122,316	2,357,754	458,779	1,771,980	1,566,737	1.5
France	308,599	8,059	428,506	1,412	859,359	321,187	.3
Germany	4,957,555	9,526,959	11,198,222	6,332,916	12,528,755	8,908,881	8.7
Netherlands	11,656	79,354	789,668	296,761	1,182,605	472,009	.5
United Kingdom	195,766	1,024,189	1,824,072	976,266	1,402,694	1,084,597	1
Canada	163,809	870,939	193,476	289,060	92,692	321,995	.3
British West Indies	6,891,163	9,487,479	6,890,949	3,989,614	4,700,527	6,391,946	6.2
Danish West Indies	262,593	431,217	473,153	205,333	261,728	326,805	.3
Santo Domingo	2,017,739	2,054,243	2,875,810	1,188,951	2,459,302	2,119,209	2.1
Cuba	60,838,765	60,637,670	63,147,745	40,100,204	24,102,835	49,765,444	48.5
Puerto Rico	2,308,657	3,228,933	2,394,051	994,084	1,707,308	2,126,607	2.1
Brazil	4,509,281	2,921,946	5,688,714	2,701,287	3,776,486	3,919,543	3.8
British Guiana	4,360,670	5,017,661	4,216,414	2,517,726	3,414,368	3,905,368	3.8
Dutch Guiana	205,887	397,068	426,541	195,589	289,243	302,866	.3
China	255,456	386,486	800,218	668,287	920,301	606,150	.6
Dutch East Indies	3,707,210	4,783,268	7,808,871	5,759,436	11,388,487	6,669,454	6.5
Hongkong	109,399	283,448	435,738	236,292	353,610	283,697	.3
Hawaii	7,442,047	8,502,226	9,461,857	7,403,658	11,336,796	8,829,317	8.6
Philippine Islands	2,417,109	2,865,966	3,655,627	1,111,006	2,270,902	2,464,122	2.4
British Africa	228,481	.....	134,514	49,725	461,054	174,755	.2
Egypt	195,149	194,186	.....	596,277	2,657,425	728,607	.7
Other countries	70,633	333,378	246,906	211,701	322,914	237,116	.2
Total	104,408,813	116,255,784	126,871,889	76,462,836	89,219,773	102,623,819	100

a For quantities, see page 17.

b For quantities, see page 18.

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MOLASSES. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Canada.....	48,600	35,398	43,936	19,390	16,932	32,815	1.8
British West Indies.....	146,072	147,841	152,856	35,847	58,042	108,132	6.1
Cuba.....	1,803,847	1,081,034	1,148,412	677,165	128,474	967,786	54.5
Puerto Rico.....	861,079	708,905	630,370	418,645	520,275	627,855	35.3
China.....				147	10,374	2,104	.1
Hawaii.....	5,911	7,561	653	3,500	1,902	3,905	
Other countries.....	12,235	11,595	8,551	140,452	1,266	34,820	2
Total.....	2,877,744	1,992,334	1,984,778	1,295,146	737,265	1,777,453	100

TEA. *a*

United Kingdom.....	681,154	540,611	693,886	743,980	561,488	644,224	4.7
Canada.....	155,308	119,735	121,445	163,333	53,725	122,713	.9
China.....	7,914,122	7,413,984	7,697,253	7,534,354	6,966,766	7,505,296	55
British East Indies.....	65,842	32,066	79,582	83,105	166,341	85,387	.6
Hongkong.....	45,849	47,318	43,274	40,157	42,158	43,751	.3
Japan.....	5,508,347	5,699,582	5,504,411	4,601,041	4,911,448	5,244,966	38.5
Other countries.....	2,600	4,186	4,392	5,389	2,514	3,816	-----
Total.....	14,373,222	13,857,482	14,144,243	13,171,379	12,704,440	13,650,153	100

COFFEE. *a*

France.....	121,694	244,504	1,869,852	687,354	146,706	614,022	.6
Germany.....	701,721	177,995	1,521,261	996,624	378,017	755,124	.8
Netherlands.....	786,056	1,479,874	986,069	1,136,097	660,478	1,009,715	1
United Kingdom.....	306,338	495,963	1,587,062	975,247	893,343	851,991	.9
Central America:							
Costa Rica.....	1,652,700	2,003,681	2,006,732	2,876,930	3,157,025	2,339,413	2.4
Guatemala.....	2,923,271	2,325,997	2,011,188	2,492,754	1,910,528	2,332,748	2.4
Honduras.....	18,757	16,907	56,090	114,989	36,637	48,676	.1
Nicaragua.....	426,637	155,183	395,919	487,022	286,749	350,302	.4
Salvador.....	2,272,251	1,282,999	2,835,314	3,136,647	1,126,895	2,130,821	2.2
Total Central America.....	7,293,616	5,784,767	7,305,243	9,108,342	6,517,834	7,201,960	7.5
Mexico.....	4,037,592	4,297,880	6,964,034	5,971,439	4,040,443	5,062,278	5.3
British West Indies.....	1,065,559	1,164,120	1,344,082	974,000	643,261	1,038,204	1.1
Haiti.....	2,197,324	929	8,495	1,806,304	882,988	979,208	1
Brazil.....	95,751,724	57,136,680	60,377,765	60,316,677	54,019,900	65,520,549	63.3
Colombia.....	1,988,679	1,392,252	443,765	1,698,250	3,029,947	1,710,579	1.8
Venezuela.....	9,095,042	2,472,343	2,689,479	8,872,179	8,129,254	6,251,659	6.5
British East Indies.....	200,148	524,179	253,607	532,942	735,250	449,225	.5
Dutch East Indies.....	2,642,091	3,594,436	3,174,026	1,716,855	3,045,075	2,834,497	2.9
Other countries.....	1,854,346	1,719,636	1,789,936	1,338,407	b1,668,628	1,674,190	1.8
Total.....	128,041,930	80,485,558	90,314,676	96,130,717	84,793,124	95,953,201	100

COCOA. *a*

United Kingdom.....	317,143	342,312	86,138	232,218	237,298	243,022	8
British West Indies.....	939,182	1,017,034	976,663	1,262,191	763,290	991,672	32.6
Haiti.....	179,843	78,386	24,632	27,433	27,733	67,605	2.2
Brazil.....	608,057	939,101	122,885	374,186	291,269	467,100	15.3
Colombia.....	136,773	38,965	48,056	82,748	14,773	64,263	2.1
Ecuador.....	261,336	404,235	273,966	352,060	183,448	295,009	9.7
Dutch Guiana.....	361,249	665,389	610,588	609,836	587,225	566,857	18.6
Venezuela.....	165,028	120,399	91,188	86,736	125,478	117,766	3.9
British East Indies.....	72,995	182,784	40,912	13,023	11,660	64,275	2.1
Other countries.....	179,435	229,196	127,354	155,380	144,904	167,234	5.5
Total.....	3,221,041	4,017,801	2,402,382	3,195,811	2,387,078	3,044,823	100

a For quantities, see page 19.

b Of this amount \$899,226 worth was imported from Aden. The amount imported from Aden in previous years was not separately stated.

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BANANAS.

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i> <i>P. ct.</i>
British Honduras	172,633	100,475	56,639	110,942	96,884	107,515 2.2
Costa Rica	290,582	200,173	213,241	362,762	574,782	328,308 6.6
Guatemala	159,806	101,602	109,697	125,083	88,268	116,895 2.4
Honduras	648,544	420,256	429,424	483,883	479,588	492,339 10
Nicaragua	413,712	470,250	578,544	617,961	399,938	496,081 10.1
British West Indies	1,326,856	1,824,968	1,801,581	1,381,341	1,224,783	1,511,906 30.6
Cuba	1,535,951	1,641,387	1,277,406	826,615	929,865	1,242,245 25.2
Colombia	341,542	467,993	559,512	657,187	600,614	525,369 10.6
Hawaii	110,317	126,583	90,171	91,038	75,822	98,785 2
Other countries	689	7,500	6,288	18,054	32,202	12,947 .3
Total	5,000,632	5,361,187	5,122,503	4,674,861	4,502,746	4,932,390 100

CURRANTS. *a*

Greece	1,159,750	1,127,279	754,235	243,007	546,522	766,159	96.2
United Kingdom	47,258	57,230	14,336	14,330	4,546	27,540	3.5
Other countries	2,111	1,028	6,231	1,322	4	2,139	.3
Total	1,209,119	1,185,537	774,802	258,659	551,072	795,838	100

DATES. *a*

United Kingdom	366,135	325,838	222,469	139,262	144,694	239,680	59.2
Turkey, Asiatic		99,407	107,766	127,997	92,959	85,626	19.6
Other countries	185,494	68,665	57,351	49,333	35,803	79,329	21.2
Total	551,629	493,910	387,586	316,592	273,456	404,635	100

FIGS. *a*

United Kingdom	187,888	83,930	142,714	196,673	61,871	134,615	25.1
Turkey, Asiatic	314,699	455,643	234,174	378,679	563,851	389,409	72.7
Other countries	8,555	9,422	15,152	12,068	13,790	11,798	2.2
Total	511,142	548,995	392,040	587,420	639,512	535,822	100

LEMONS.

Italy	4,375,275	4,750,885	4,075,219	3,774,237	4,792,215	4,353,566	95.5
Spain	65,754	88,154	69,800	49,552	130,033	80,659	1.8
Canada	101,148	153,742	130,087	90,674	101,228	115,376	2.5
Other countries	6,086	1,547	10,172	2,863	16,868	7,507	.2
Total	4,518,263	4,994,328	4,285,278	3,917,326	5,040,344	4,557,108	100

ORANGES.

Italy	904,994	1,389,222	843,694	1,458,229	1,149,640	1,169,158	67
Spain	28,248	19,584	3,391	12,467	51,123	22,963	1.3
United Kingdom	24,371	9,208	38,697	227,460	526,914	165,330	0.5
Mexico	81,573	62,615	67,367	79,755	176,911	93,644	5.4
British West Indies	112,644	172,153	51,788	173,396	695,998	241,196	13.8
Cuba	49,215	29,100	9,875	31,923	58,612	35,745	2
Other countries	9,293	13,587	12,193	14,036	34,933	16,808	1
Total	1,210,338	1,695,469	1,127,005	1,997,266	2,694,131	1,744,842	100

PLUMS AND PRUNES. *a*

Austria-Hungary	104,295	577,110	37,016	30,495	114	149,806	28.7
France	231,364	270,717	352,926	467,402	53,753	275,233	52.7
Germany	100,607	307,228	19,549	27,553	14,037	93,795	17.9
Other countries	1,005	7,263	6,851	2,175	958	3,650	.7
Total	437,271	1,162,318	416,342	527,625	68,862	522,484	100

a For quantities, see page 20.

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RAISINS. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
Spain	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Spain	756,792	965,383	410,093	426,570	165,682	544,904	69.9
United Kingdom	94,291	113,274	61,230	34,950	15,377	63,824	8.2
Turkey, Asiatic	109,959	185,585	75,316	178,956	276,662	165,296	21.2
Other countries	3,267	2,100	7,442	10,944	2,479	5,246	.7
Total	964,309	1,266,342	554,081	651,420	460,200	779,270	100

FRUITS, PRESERVED.

France	428,829	284,539	235,131	242,916	272,643	292,811	38.6
Germany	50,751	68,314	22,776	36,704	23,259	40,361	5.3
Italy	351,666	244,289	61,613	46,520	51,904	151,198	19.9
United Kingdom	214,382	120,682	103,824	107,915	117,771	132,915	17.5
Canada	83,800	46,945	33,771	72,848	55,317	58,536	7.7
British West Indies	37,070	29,164	22,525	24,312	33,302	29,275	3.9
Other countries	68,330	70,233	46,921	39,353	44,732	53,914	7.1
Total	1,234,828	864,166	526,561	570,568	598,928	759,010	100

FRUITS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED.

Austria-Hungary	28,066	28,169	31,765	50,265	56,723	38,998	1.5
France	103,132	149,320	121,465	74,986	113,705	112,521	4.4
Germany	14,941	19,125	11,524	12,339	3,161	12,218	.5
Greece	5,796	15,201	12,007	19,195	23,296	15,099	.6
Italy	52,880	105,946	56,311	65,879	94,039	75,011	2.9
Spain	729,355	833,252	1,030,110	515,124	710,650	763,698	30.1
Turkey, European	2,049	682	258	165	67,475	14,126	.6
United Kingdom	103,296	127,605	133,313	82,633	131,368	115,643	4.5
Canada	120,050	779,803	418,226	318,713	274,723	382,303	15
Mexico	59,669	55,153	41,318	32,972	43,543	46,531	1.8
British West Indies	289,296	201,609	229,147	124,406	226,071	214,106	8.4
Cuba	487,764	559,047	533,759	198,740	159,745	387,811	15.3
Brazil	450,570	405,841	296,124	181,812	173,888	301,647	11.9
Other countries	62,076	91,913	65,257	48,113	49,669	63,406	2.5
Total	2,508,940	3,372,666	2,980,584	1,725,342	2,128,056	2,543,118	100

ALMONDS. *a*

France	103,432	232,467	125,899	195,938	163,916	164,330	19.1
Italy	233,975	196,528	144,217	209,489	152,096	187,261	21.7
Spain	576,867	395,244	446,210	310,647	399,964	425,786	49.4
United Kingdom	83,088	106,189	45,353	69,722	42,457	69,362	8
Other countries	31,309	7,626	7,774	24,643	5,161	15,303	1.8
Total	1,028,671	938,054	769,453	810,439	763,594	862,042	100

COCOANUTS.

United Kingdom		163	160	20,220	20,920	8,293	1.2
British Honduras	19,625	20,869	10,160	7,532	10,782	13,794	2
Honduras	113,955	98,412	86,559	52,143	72,109	84,636	12.2
Nicaragua	19,137	14,031	6,510	31,189	4,134	15,000	2.1
British West Indies	170,146	183,236	212,563	113,093	102,365	156,281	22.5
Cuba	98,464	147,394	91,459	39,583	17,811	78,942	11.4
Colombia	273,743	222,727	308,805	108,018	118,538	206,366	29.7
British East Indies	776	-----	-----	42,871	66,455	22,020	3.2
Other countries	221,718	165,677	70,561	57,345	29,625	108,985	15.7
Total	917,564	852,509	786,777	471,994	442,739	694,317	100

a For quantities, see page 20.

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NUTS, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED.

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.	P. ct.
France	359,027	538,833	298,128	349,399	506,431	410,364	51.2
Italy	346,538	336,958	288,260	299,331	310,125	316,242	39.5
Other countries	115,635	76,150	45,371	81,681	52,243	74,216	9.3
Total.....	821,200	951,941	631,759	730,411	868,799	800,822	100

HAY. *a*

Canada.....	714,552	964,502	761,708	1,433,456	2,773,488	1,329,541	99.98
Other countries	599	253	232	260	47	278	.02
Total.....	715,151	964,755	761,940	1,433,716	2,773,535	1,329,819	100

HOPS. *b*

Austria-Hungary	43,769	58,306	68,366	20,990	18,623	42,011	5.7
Germany.....	796,232	1,009,050	401,398	548,406	576,712	666,359	91.2
Other countries	43,700	18,051	14,051	30,348	5,084	22,367	3.1
Total.....	883,701	1,085,407	484,415	599,744	600,419	730,737	100

INDIGO. *b*

Germany.....	22,100	89,159	12,030	57,472	36,308	43,414	2.2
Netherlands	31,843	106,281	14,335	38,905	29,327	44,138	2.2
United Kingdom.....	79,502	481,889	142,255	332,992	217,254	250,778	12.8
British East Indies.....	1,621,144	2,318,422	989,580	1,541,128	1,366,125	1,567,280	79.8
Other countries	17,918	141,700	60,376	45,478	24,156	57,938	3
Total.....	1,772,507	3,137,511	1,218,576	2,015,975	1,673,170	1,963,548	100

OIL, OLIVE. *b*

France	383,131	444,222	360,039	440,173	475,479	420,609	44.4
Italy	422,441	385,191	491,011	443,567	563,841	461,210	48.7
Other countries	71,041	62,011	58,847	68,665	67,729	65,659	6.9
Total.....	876,613	891,424	909,897	952,405	1,107,049	947,478	100

OILS, VEGETABLE, FIXED OR EXPRESSED, OTHER THAN OLIVE.

Denmark.....	8,865	30,916	12,392	9,714	21,653	16,708	0.7
France	35,195	45,473	17,625	158,132	151,153	81,515	3.4
Germany.....	40,696	88,049	64,633	60,933	44,507	59,764	2.5
Italy	246,458	246,094	140,163	123,832	97,972	170,904	7.2
Netherlands.....	214,580	304,966	188,073	218,535	285,860	242,403	10.2
Spain.....	221,684	25,930	-----	-----	71,693	63,861	2.7
United Kingdom.....	293,194	460,449	382,634	669,926	592,348	479,810	20.3
China	141,726	141,078	113,619	96,343	84,433	115,440	4.9
British East Indies.....	1,173,604	1,135,869	711,785	1,022,055	1,044,464	1,017,555	42.9
British Africa.....	60,033	29,688	50,232	91,219	98,741	65,983	2.8
Other countries	25,189	50,106	23,711	119,346	63,702	56,411	2.4
Total.....	2,239,540	2,754,372	1,730,797	2,570,035	2,557,026	2,370,354	100

a For quantities, see page 20.

b For quantities, see page 21.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

OILS, VEGETABLE, VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
France.....	Dollars. 267,710	Dollars. 294,098	Dollars. 209,848	Dollars. 277,649	Dollars. 295,081	Dollars. 268,877	P. ct. 18.2
Germany.....	354,480	244,303	186,406	229,065	286,096	260,070	17.6
Italy.....	499,639	492,772	300,329	281,938	284,909	371,918	25.2
Turkey, European.....	144,763	185,758	159,385	167,644	179,247	167,359	11.3
United Kingdom.....	186,352	173,737	125,155	238,945	312,700	206,378	14
British East Indies.....	114,102	85,171	53,879	114,856	92,036	92,009	6.2
Hongkong.....	72,945	129,471	39,401	55,898	47,710	69,085	4.7
Japan.....	11,133	19,772	9,356	10,284	21,495	14,398	1
Other countries.....	24,940	28,954	18,349	27,727	35,015	26,997	1.8
Total.....	1,676,064	1,654,036	1,102,108	1,398,956	1,554,289	1,477,091	100

OPIUM, CRUDE. *a*

Turkey, European.....	508,500	463,142	614,984	369,753	247,848	440,845	41.4
United Kingdom.....	144,776	334,301	571,242	78,081	125,579	250,796	23.6
Turkey, Asiatic.....	360,299	371,778	467,308	282,835	303,536	357,150	33.5
Other countries.....	15,628	17,603	38,385	.....	6,384	15,600	1.5
Total.....	1,029,203	1,186,824	1,691,914	730,669	683,347	1,064,391	100

RICE, RICE MEAL, AND BROKEN RICE. *a*

Germany.....	1,108,301	1,162,519	900,467	1,682,013	1,067,778	1,184,215	42.8
Italy.....	19,153	24,289	19,617	26,451	26,393	23,181	.8
Netherlands.....	3,467	433	42,486	208,465	13,751	53,720	2
United Kingdom.....	236,199	274,743	214,102	161,135	114,054	200,046	7.2
China.....	570,395	528,408	450,966	510,740	367,705	485,643	17.6
British East Indies.....	74,639	53,294	19,351	49,139	16,018	42,488	1.5
Hongkong.....	87,598	61,348	26,877	41,724	32,151	49,940	1.8
Japan.....	540,084	324,412	334,356	522,449	377,678	419,796	15.2
Hawaii.....	367,533	349,360	357,625	228,380	163,571	293,334	10.6
Other countries.....	23,514	11,145	8,988	15,016	6,480	13,029	.....
Total.....	3,030,883	2,790,151	2,374,835	3,445,512	2,185,579	2,765,392	100

LINSEED. *b*

United Kingdom.....	44,053	104,262	423,201	2,457,947	330,820	672,057	51.4
Argentina.....	.....	.....	.....	589,837	215,235	161,024	12.3
British East Indies.....	275,014	41,683	278,412	1,090,789	163,046	369,795	28.3
Other countries.....	351	873	223	415,861	103,839	104,229	8
Total.....	319,418	146,818	701,866	4,554,484	812,940	1,307,105	100

SEEDS, OTHER THAN LINSEED.

France.....	294,734	324,428	266,345	319,536	545,333	350,085	17.3
Germany.....	397,838	640,322	310,440	303,803	363,076	403,096	20
Netherlands.....	313,154	437,246	406,490	203,356	112,868	294,623	14.6
United Kingdom.....	392,363	588,343	338,909	616,920	539,321	495,171	24.5
Canada.....	32,417	109,282	27,991	258,962	120,498	109,830	5.4
Other countries.....	514,863	510,571	343,562	278,519	189,118	367,327	18.2
Total.....	1,945,419	2,610,192	1,693,737	1,981,096	1,870,214	2,020,132	100

NUTMEGS. *b*

Netherlands.....	233,396	138,883	113,628	182,352	193,242	172,300	31.8
British East Indies.....	337,033	349,784	198,091	259,511	169,589	262,801	49.5
Dutch East Indies.....	128,314	72,170	61,020	54,653	45,876	72,407	13.4
Other countries.....	52,070	52,906	23,288	17,285	24,729	34,046	6.3
Total.....	750,813	613,743	395,977	513,801	433,436	541,554	100

a For quantities, see page 21.

b For quantities, see page 22.

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PEPPER, UNGROUND. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>Dollars.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Netherlands.....	9,858	19,583	34,630	50,404	41,888	31,277	3.5
United Kingdom.....	457,371	548,936	154,307	133,176	105,332	285,824	32.1
British East Indies.....	522,683	667,120	439,435	587,623	467,078	536,788	60.2
Other countries.....	49,356	42,423	37,184	20,140	36,563	37,133	4.2
Total.....	1,069,268	1,278,062	665,576	791,343	650,861	891,022	100

SPICES, UNGROUND, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED. *a*

Netherlands.....	66,405	53,487	36,953	43,684	63,039	52,714	5.2
United Kingdom.....	127,483	323,118	237,591	329,081	234,069	250,268	24.8
British West Indies.....	166,858	276,762	294,538	270,289	273,765	256,442	25.5
China.....	122,038	91,103	67,001	73,873	145,575	99,917	9.9
British East Indies.....	54,767	57,522	75,523	95,000	89,757	74,514	7.4
Dutch East Indies.....	58,013	39,460	58,218	70,895	43,303	53,978	5.4
Hongkong.....	70,407	72,018	55,277	60,640	50,947	61,858	6.1
Africa <i>b</i>	234,710	158,956	92,679	109,582	72,115	133,608	13.3
Other countries.....	19,330	37,771	25,375	9,824	26,656	23,791	2.4
Total.....	920,006	1,110,197	943,155	1,062,868	999,226	1,007,090	100

TOBACCO, LEAF, SUITABLE FOR CIGAR WRAPPERS. *a*

Germany.....	171,868	443,309	350,932	310,900	115,303	278,462	5.4
Netherlands.....	1,895,305	5,075,530	4,543,560	6,687,142	4,705,359	4,581,379	89
Canada.....	4,795	41,627	61,128	187,555	676,791	190,379	3.7
Cuba.....	103,338	45,281	134,988	38,320	64,438	77,273	1.5
Other countries.....	21,088	14,610	7,853	15,960	34,887	18,880	4.4
Total.....	2,196,394	5,620,357	5,098,461	7,219,877	5,596,778	5,146,373	100

TOBACCO, LEAF, OTHER. *a*

Germany.....	133,798	34,129	18,636	14,696	22,123	44,676	.5
United Kingdom.....	45,637	55,833	48,372	43,414	44,055	47,462	.6
Canada.....	19,529	31,755	52,192	106,436	210,435	84,069	1
Cuba.....	7,893,677	8,894,777	5,693,976	7,233,474	10,549,030	8,052,987	96.9
Turkey, Asiatic.....	10,363	29,868	5,752	81,806	26,684	30,895	.4
Other countries.....	33,025	35,721	67,997	46,017	54,025	47,357	.6
Total.....	8,136,029	9,082,083	5,886,925	7,525,843	10,906,352	8,307,446	100

VANILLA BEANS. *c*

France.....	39,004	78,756	91,147	62,399	66,488	67,559	8.9
Mexico.....	708,217	635,350	586,798	394,397	876,368	640,226	84.1
Other countries.....	56,475	49,829	49,908	38,477	70,752	53,088	7
Total.....	803,696	763,935	727,853	495,273	1,013,608	760,873	100

BEANS AND PEAS. *c*

Austria-Hungary.....	47,892	675,239	310,938	482,080	32,258	309,682	25.7
Germany.....	67,922	167,325	60,718	45,464	3,274	68,941	5.7
France.....	21,643	91,261	39,891	102,065	6,823	52,337	4.4
Italy.....	43,636	24,694	23,800	69,011	29,345	38,187	3.2
Canada.....	716,030	663,937	606,466	789,003	567,705	668,628	55.6
Mexico.....	19,069	23,123	11,897	30,106	8,702	18,579	1.5
Other countries.....	41,632	88,649	64,259	31,038	10,013	47,118	3.9
Total.....	957,824	1,734,228	1,117,960	1,548,767	658,320	1,203,422	100

a For quantities, see page 22.

b Not including Liberia and British Africa.

c For quantities, see page 23.

Values of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

POTATOES. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
United Kingdom	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,007	<i>Dollars.</i> 1,416,629	<i>Dollars.</i> 865,691	<i>Dollars.</i> 141,133	<i>Dollars.</i> 12	<i>Dollars.</i> 484,895	<i>P. ct.</i> 56.9
Bermuda	130,398	125,986	109,122	130,608	94,681	118,158	13.9
Canada	22,191	285,339	232,496	311,075	16,080	173,436	20.3
Other countries	32,410	238,635	69,885	20,743	16,822	75,699	8.9
Total	186,006	2,066,589	1,277,194	603,554	127,595	852,188	100

PICKLES AND SAUCES.

France	31,422	64,045	31,732	15,725	19,836	32,552	8.8
United Kingdom	337,176	336,498	265,056	265,471	260,323	292,905	78.6
China	24,397	28,899	24,722	24,615	28,331	26,199	7
Other countries	28,297	24,657	19,625	15,791	15,887	20,851	5.6
Total	421,292	454,090	341,135	321,632	324,377	372,507	100

VEGETABLES IN THEIR NATURAL STATE, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED.

Germany	20,030	34,218	22,930	32,035	34,026	28,648	4.3
Italy	22,855	33,520	24,165	41,842	45,977	33,672	5.1
Spain	39,198	43,958	50,704	43,213	33,173	42,649	6.3
United Kingdom	64,017	56,331	135,856	103,586	72,952	86,548	13
Bermuda	258,492	286,761	211,366	214,333	271,332	248,467	37.3
Canada	70,674	114,312	101,281	125,349	120,059	106,335	16
Cuba	31,099	40,197	24,117	37,371	29,273	32,411	4.9
China	16,595	17,997	14,125	19,713	21,054	17,897	2.7
Other countries	40,337	64,674	68,715	62,402	110,915	69,469	10.4
Total	563,297	691,963	653,259	679,894	738,761	665,436	100

VEGETABLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED.

France	628,975	501,859	390,946	663,453	577,152	552,477	80.2
Germany	29,300	44,777	29,047	31,255	25,943	32,064	4.6
Italy	27,664	25,049	23,361	34,560	36,002	29,327	4.3
United Kingdom	18,812	10,867	11,760	29,139	29,390	19,994	2.9
Other countries	50,057	57,253	50,396	59,282	59,310	55,260	8
Total	754,808	639,805	505,510	817,689	727,797	689,122	100

CHAMPAGNE AND OTHER SPARKLING WINES. *a*

Belgium	117,932	49,011	44,480	100,581	138,800	90,161	2.1
France	4,311,766	5,381,473	3,325,828	3,598,334	3,313,752	3,986,231	94.5
Germany	72,202	59,427	26,464	28,045	37,979	44,823	1.1
United Kingdom	61,095	73,358	78,983	73,648	127,307	82,878	2
Other countries	8,821	15,785	22,767	7,353	10,481	13,041	.3
Total	4,571,816	5,579,051	3,498,522	3,807,961	3,628,319	4,217,134	100

WINES, STILL. *a*

France	1,345,834	1,378,278	861,362	991,380	973,016	1,109,954	29.1
Germany	1,549,491	1,690,290	1,133,257	1,233,952	1,316,206	1,385,239	36.3
Italy	201,250	295,406	246,610	265,541	281,336	258,329	6.8
Portugal	143,451	144,145	123,083	95,185	114,584	124,090	3.2
Spain	738,703	752,631	603,888	548,863	542,841	637,385	16.7
United Kingdom	146,364	120,101	100,773	88,140	99,088	110,893	2.9
Other countries	247,594	245,448	171,983	146,515	151,115	192,531	5
Total	4,372,687	4,626,299	3,240,956	3,375,576	3,478,686	3,818,421	100

a For quantities, see page 23.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896.

CATTLE. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	P. ct. b
United Kingdom	32	38	3	115	47	47	1
Canada	695	612	92	1,212	858	694	.9
Mexico.....	1,438	2,597	1,469	148,431	216,913	74,170	99
Other countries	3	46	28	23	8	21	.....
Total.....	2,168	3,293	1,592	149,781	217,826	74,932	100

HORSES. *a*

Belgium.....	32	12	.....	.....	.....	9	.1
France.....	258	112	10	3	11	79	.7
Germany.....	46	73	7	16	23	33	.3
United Kingdom.....	1,598	1,141	319	219	122	680	5.8
Canada.....	12,072	14,005	5,738	9,964	7,438	9,843	83.7
Mexico.....	26	38	46	2,880	2,365	1,071	9.1
Other countries	42	70	46	16	32	41	.....
Total.....	14,074	15,451	6,166	13,098	9,991	11,756	100

SHEEP. *a*

France.....	34	7	28	.....	9	7	.....
Germany.....	23	.....	.....	.....	9	14	.....
United Kingdom.....	3,887	1,136	723	149	271	1,233	.4
Canada.....	376,233	453,276	241,646	288,308	321,847	336,262	99.1
Mexico.....	626	5,051	164	3,004	565	1,882	.5
Other countries	11	14	7	.....	.....	6	.....
Total.....	380,814	459,484	242,568	291,461	322,692	339,404	100

BRISTLES. *a*

	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	P. ct.
France.....	221,580	340,227	184,017	212,152	280,254	247,646	18.1
Germany.....	817,706	642,827	410,337	492,665	643,341	601,375	43.8
Russia.....	182,473	161,245	113,209	231,702	145,721	166,870	12.2
United Kingdom.....	250,654	408,019	97,576	273,286	328,878	271,683	19.8
China.....	12,527	30,252	74,168	75,409	151,978	68,867	5
Other countries	10,063	16,248	13,213	16,280	22,358	15,632	1.1
Total.....	1,495,003	1,598,818	892,520	1,301,494	1,572,530	1,372,073	100

CHEESE. *a*

Belgium.....	82,865	67,250	57,738	69,288	108,397	77,108	.8
France.....	639,711	727,155	657,473	817,544	857,816	739,940	7.7
Germany.....	260,556	262,349	174,844	208,562	420,038	265,270	2.8
Italy.....	1,769,186	2,241,269	2,373,051	2,755,069	3,176,716	2,463,058	25.5
Netherlands.....	1,036,499	1,035,379	855,905	889,654	917,877	947,063	9.8
Switzerland.....	4,213,514	5,506,551	4,406,882	5,310,977	4,942,595	4,876,104	50.5
United Kingdom.....	81,248	122,110	83,453	84,784	126,765	99,672	1
Canada.....	46,326	57,463	29,357	31,072	37,953	40,434	.4
Other countries	175,383	176,398	104,148	109,343	140,240	141,102	1.5
Total.....	8,305,288	10,195,924	8,742,851	10,276,293	10,728,397	9,649,751	100

a For values, see page 2.*b* Percentages amounting to less than 0.05 per cent are not stated.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

HIDES AND SKINS: GOATSKINS.

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896. ^b	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Pounds.	P. ct.
Austria-Hungary						1,170,875	1,362,783
France						4,529,226	3,050,688
Germany						2,500,656	1,001,206
Italy						526,454	435,737
Russia						3,965,305	4,090,828
Turkey, European						1,264,169	1,363,260
United Kingdom						3,984,042	3,016,300
Mexico						3,515,437	2,499,141
Argentina	(c)	(c)	(c)			1,980,078	1,561,439
Brazil						2,929,316	2,864,854
Peru						888,992	853,958
Venezuela						1,820,410	1,355,690
China						3,289,505	3,132,598
British East Indies						11,707,419	10,352,386
Turkey, Asiatic						1,070,263	414,581
British Africa						454,453	551,543
French Africa						1,378,143	773,198
Other countries						7,265,749	d8,066,839
Total						54,240,492	46,747,029
						50,493,761	100

HIDES AND SKINS, OTHER THAN GOATSKINS.

Belgium.....			8,525,411	1,700,725	5,113,068	3
France.....			9,212,006	4,907,309	7,059,658	4.5
Germany.....			10,231,542	6,868,282	8,549,912	5.1
Russia.....			125,917	319,405	222,661	1
Switzerland.....			2,429,505	1,236,369	1,832,937	1.1
Turkey, European.....			343,546	408,772	376,159	
United Kingdom.....			33,836,072	26,509,765	30,172,918	17.5
Canada.....			16,180,365	16,710,663	16,445,514	9.8
Mexico.....	(c)	(c)	6,800,869	7,568,351	7,184,619	4.8
Argentina.....			42,238,107	38,449,423	40,343,765	24
Brazil.....			2,111,912	5,898,641	4,005,277	2.4
Colombia.....			5,264,782	6,751,422	6,008,102	3.3
Uruguay.....			14,154,092	13,588,885	13,846,488	8.1
Venezuela.....			4,537,519	5,729,132	5,133,326	3.1
British East Indies.....			5,561,692	9,089,321	7,325,506	4.1
British Australasia.....			1,378,609	5,939,102	3,658,856	2.2
Other countries.....			9,403,307	12,025,415	10,714,361	6.4
Total.....			172,335,253	163,650,982	167,993,118	100

SILK, RAW, INCLUDING COCOONS.

France	808, 068	955, 098	445, 930	713, 961	858, 073	756, 226	9
Italy	1, 381, 245	1, 505, 605	1, 062, 836	1, 358, 257	1, 143, 816	1, 290, 352	15.
Turkey, European	4, 997	27, 072	-----	935	221	6, 645	
United Kingdom	412, 796	168, 835	121, 804	385, 169	338, 954	285, 512	3.
China	2, 074, 715	1, 976, 772	1, 407, 986	2, 771, 470	2, 672, 464	2, 180, 681	26
Japan	4, 143, 292	3, 840, 138	2, 846, 296	4, 008, 705	4, 133, 049	3, 794, 296	45.
Other countries	8, 936	23, 957	17, 633	77, 963	217, 410	69, 180	.8
Total.....	8, 834, 049	8, 497, 477	5, 902, 485	9, 316, 460	9, 363, 987	8, 382, 892	100

a For values, see page 3.

⁶ The annual averages here given for "Hides and skins: goatskins" and "Hides and skins, other than goatskins" relate only to the two years 1895 and 1896, no figures being stated for the three years preceding.

^cNot separately stated.

^a Of this quantity 3,689,837 pounds were imported from Aden. The quantity imported from Aden in 1895 was not separately stated.

*e*For values, see page 4.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 1, CLOTHING. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Belgium.....	130,238	110,516	48	2,722,599	7,884,860	2,169,652	3.5
France.....	53,062	32,265	1,541	2,968,885	6,553,133	1,921,777	3.1
Germany.....	112,066	35,315	12,912	55,220	392,605	121,624	.2
Spain.....				65,101	84,503	29,921	—
Turkey, European.....				16,096		3,219	—
United Kingdom.....	26,146,932	29,719,251	4,066,800	45,566,022	56,403,900	32,380,581	52.4
Canada.....	94,038	96,962	78,107	1,415,549	1,147,323	566,396	.9
Mexico.....	190	86,821	150	65,803	95,334	49,660	.1
Argentina.....	262,380	129,592	1,780	6,643,344	6,128,552	2,633,170	4.3
Brazil.....	601,415	847,728	69,916	284,145	64,926	373,626	.6
Chile.....	1,605,325	504,436	365,398	450,080	1,588,911	906,630	1.5
Peru.....		2,250		15,904	166,943	37,019	.1
Uruguay.....	4,721,736	597,811	232,173	10,329,318	8,077,576	4,792,323	7.8
British Australasia.....	15,296,946	9,072,239	4,666,360	12,381,906	20,253,238	12,334,138	20
Hawaii.....	91,725			141,863	211,617	89,041	.1
British Africa.....	1,097,131	2,066,548	1,189,254	3,841,573	8,102,257	3,259,352	5.3
Other countries.....	46,612	9,831	1,057	178,914	67,762	60,835	.1
Total.....	50,262,796	43,311,565	10,685,496	87,151,522	117,233,440	61,728,964	100

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 2, COMBING. *a*

Belgium.....	42,315	4,309	261	109,370	35,593	7,119	.1
France.....	20,878	23,780	77	44,801	545,934	140,438	1.6
Germany.....	20,878	23,780	77	44,801	71,043	32,116	.4
Turkey, European.....	1,060,585	704,964	187,973	876,578	741,490	714,318	8.2
United Kingdom.....	3,407,755	4,645,518	1,187,483	6,400,202	6,505,645	4,429,327	51.1
Canada.....	1,039,811	1,300,072	132,798	5,593,181	3,817,160	2,376,604	27.4
Argentina.....				221,819	3,273,075	698,979	8
Peru.....	41	1,936	3,550		26,265	6,358	.1
China.....	60,955			42,875	9,608	22,688	.2
British East Indies.....			4	336	80,077	16,083	.2
Turkey, Asiatic.....	85,577	483	9,877	22,181	430,624	109,748	1.3
British Australasia.....	62,776		5,517	1,908	133,031	40,646	.5
British Africa.....	45,881	49,218	10,340		54,114	31,911	.4
Other countries.....		5,891	10,625	163,484	32,659	42,532	.5
Total.....	5,826,574	6,736,201	1,548,505	13,476,735	15,756,818	8,668,867	100

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED: CLASS 3, CARPET. *b*

Austria-Hungary.....	1,046,587	2,846,444	191,354	421,053	293,948	959,877	1
Belgium.....		13,353		741,384	1,290,263	409,000	.4
France.....	4,787,178	8,091,639	960,932	7,167,171	6,180,653	5,437,515	5.9
Germany.....	282,871	1,422,463	233,400	1,135,294	1,557,795	926,365	1
Russia.....	32,460,708	30,835,233	9,055,037	12,358,683	9,940,984	18,930,129	20.5
Turkey, European.....	1,398,357	2,533,638	965,155	1,927,036	5,062,343	2,377,306	2.6
United Kingdom.....	13,918,484	26,742,905	6,292,044	26,425,437	27,998,444	20,275,463	22
Argentina.....	13,865,411	13,713,276	8,981,887	18,880,491	13,335,224	13,755,258	14.9
Brazil.....	158,327	143,426	37,442	22,977	184,422	109,319	.1
Chile.....	769,585	1,140,453	1,052,821	1,690,669	1,839,229	1,298,551	1.4
Uruguay.....	107,827	54,219	15,624	16,056	37,385	46,222	.1
China.....	13,819,699	20,744,689	10,186,264	26,046,543	24,537,480	19,066,935	20.7
British East Indies.....	568,605	403,937	267,043	883,936	43,160	433,336	.5
Turkey, Asiatic.....	9,109,258	13,316,069	3,894,324	7,307,696	5,015,811	7,728,631	8.4
Other countries.....	288,384	384,326	785,257	381,223	604,574	488,753	.5
Total.....	92,581,282	122,386,072	42,918,584	105,405,649	97,921,715	92,242,660	100

a For values, see page 4.

b For values, see page 5.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States, from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED (TOTAL). *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
Belgium.....	<i>Pounds.</i> 130,238	<i>Pounds.</i> 123,869	<i>Pounds.</i> 48	<i>Pounds.</i> 3,463,983	<i>Pounds.</i> 9,210,716	<i>Pounds.</i> 2,585,771	<i>P. ct.</i> 1.6
France.....	4,882,555	8,128,213	962,734	10,245,426	13,279,720	7,499,730	4.6
Germany.....	415,181	1,481,389	246,389	1,235,315	2,021,443	1,080,104	.7
Russia.....	32,460,709	30,835,233	9,055,087	12,388,082	9,945,248	18,936,862	11.6
Turkey, European.....	2,458,942	3,238,602	1,153,128	2,819,710	5,803,833	3,094,843	1.9
United Kingdom.....	43,473,171	61,107,704	11,546,327	78,391,661	90,907,989	57,085,370	35.1
Canada.....	1,137,216	1,402,858	602,628	7,031,178	4,964,753	3,027,727	1.9
Argentina.....	14,127,791	13,842,868	8,983,667	25,745,854	22,736,851	17,087,406	10.5
Chile.....	2,374,910	1,644,889	1,418,219	2,149,749	3,438,140	2,205,181	1.4
Uruguay.....	4,832,563	652,030	247,797	10,347,873	8,114,961	4,839,045	3
China.....	13,889,957	20,753,893	10,186,264	26,089,418	24,547,088	19,093,324	11.7
British East Indies.....	568,605	403,937	267,047	884,272	123,237	449,420	.3
Turkey, Asiatic.....	9,194,835	13,316,552	3,904,201	7,329,877	5,453,664	7,839,826	4.8
British Australasia.....	15,359,722	9,176,282	4,917,396	12,388,814	20,386,269	12,444,696	7.6
British Africa.....	1,143,112	2,134,255	1,221,742	3,871,253	8,252,441	3,324,561	2
Other countries.....	2,220,511	4,191,093	439,961	1,656,441	1,725,120	2,046,625	1.3
Total.....	148,670,652	172,433,838	55,152,585	206,038,906	230,911,473	162,640,491	100

BARLEY. *a*

	<i>Bushels.</i> 3,144,918	<i>Bushels.</i> 1,969,761	<i>Bushels.</i> 790,784	<i>Bushels.</i> 2,002,038	<i>Bushels.</i> 836,589	<i>Bushels.</i> 1,748,818	<i>P. ct.</i> 98.7
Canada.....	1,410	368	277	114,778	795	23,526	1.3
Total.....	3,146,328	1,970,129	791,061	2,116,816	837,384	1,772,344	100

WHEAT AND WHEAT FLOUR. *a*

Canada.....	2,453,674	965,641	1,181,587	1,431,113	2,111,473	1,628,698	99.7
Other countries.....	8,691	2,484	1,277	7,286	4,830	4,913	.3
Total.....	2,462,365	968,125	1,182,864	1,438,399	2,116,303	1,633,611	100

COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED. *a*

	<i>Pounds.</i> 8,123,795	<i>Pounds.</i> 11,164,410	<i>Pounds.</i> 7,509,773	<i>Pounds.</i> 17,738,798	<i>Pounds.</i> 9,530,252	<i>Pounds.</i> 10,813,405	<i>P. ct.</i> 26.5
United Kingdom.....	296	227	161	396	598	336	5
Peru.....	1,844,999	3,411,619	1,171,515	1,197,272	1,661,333	1,857,348	4.5
China.....	10,000	24,260	61,588	103,986	55,075	50,982	.1
French Oceanica.....	232,824	460,001	515,214	144,757	370,614	344,682	.8
Egypt.....	16,763,723	28,121,282	18,338,900	29,931,948	43,574,769	27,346,124	66.9
Other countries.....	1,688,428	186,380	108,959	215,261	158,477	471,501	1.2
Total.....	28,663,769	43,367,952	27,705,949	49,332,022	55,350,520	40,884,042	100

FLAX, AND TOW OF. *b*

	<i>Tons.</i> 296	<i>Tons.</i> 516	<i>Tons.</i> 241	<i>Tons.</i> 279	<i>Tons.</i> 945	<i>Tons.</i> 396	<i>Tons.</i> 598	<i>Tons.</i> 336	<i>P. ct.</i> 5
Belgium.....	994	772	241	279	945	1,133	419	551	8.1
France.....	813	1,079	1,232	864	864	2,076	1,308	788	11.6
Netherlands.....	1,299	1,299	1,299	1,299	1,299	1,299	1,299	1,299	19.3
Russia.....	2,488	2,190	1,265	2,562	1,886	2,078	2,078	30.6	
United Kingdom.....	1,795	1,767	1,125	1,817	1,456	1,592	1,592	23.5	
Canada.....	127	145	56	66	265	132	132	1.9	
Total.....	7,812	6,696	4,352	7,233	7,833	6,785	6,785	100	

a For values, see page 5.

b For values, see page 6.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

HEMP, AND TOW OF. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	P. ct.
Belgium.....	87	111	73	132	62	93	1.7
Germany.....	561	504	96	295	513	394	7.3
Italy.....	2,362	2,626	943	3,122	3,394	2,489	46
Russia.....	861	634	291	545	848	636	11.8
United Kingdom.....	1,299	933	220	1,303	1,718	1,095	20.2
Mexico.....			10	1,495	1,853	672	12.4
Other countries.....	17	9	2	62	62	30	.6
Total.....	5,187	4,817	1,635	6,954	8,450	5,409	100

JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS. *a*

United Kingdom.....	2,150	1,239	828	7,565	2,626	2,881	3.4
British East Indies.....	86,473	80,992	49,164	103,018	82,097	80,349	95.5
French East Indies.....					4,184	837	1
Other countries.....	1		45	88	85	44	.1
Total.....	88,624	82,231	50,037	110,671	88,992	84,111	100

MANILA FIBER. *a*

United Kingdom.....	18,072	15,420	5,444	3,999	10,811	10,749	22.7
Philippine Islands	25,638	43,706	29,674	45,865	35,584	36,094	78.2
Other countries.....	864	313	115	414	849	511	1.1
Total.....	44,574	59,439	35,233	50,278	47,244	47,354	100

SISAL GRASS. *a*

Mexico	46,337	53,063	47,925	47,483	51,167	49,195	98.1
Cuba.....	825	18	516	19	7	277	.6
British Australasia.....	805	1,123				386	.8
Other countries.....	53	227	27	94	956	271	.5
Total.....	48,020	54,431	48,468	47,596	52,130	50,129	100

SUGAR. *a*

	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	P. ct.
Austria-Hungary	69,943,241	34,391,679	44,536,822	7,411,234	40,703,929	23,397,381	1
Belgium.....	38,919,574	71,322,733	80,479,170	24,338,139	72,721,186	57,556,160	1.5
France.....	10,195,056	157,204	13,909,622	35,832	34,810,370	11,821,617	.3
Germany.....	177,620,486	326,827,509	358,649,533	311,182,968	525,991,657	340,054,431	8.9
Netherlands.....	466,780	2,717,110	23,829,548	12,600,203	40,965,863	16,115,901	.4
United Kingdom.....	6,834,696	31,964,310	58,241,416	40,610,295	56,992,152	38,928,576	1
Canada.....	3,293,143	20,480,193	3,816,249	8,329,961	1,304,887	7,450,887	.2
British West Indies.....	259,249,702	332,968,755	256,821,752	193,498,237	217,421,118	251,991,913	6.6
Danish West Indies.....	9,041,406	13,894,076	15,558,546	9,131,589	12,202,619	11,965,646	.3
Santo Domingo.....	62,615,068	64,036,960	89,421,821	66,492,169	116,972,841	79,907,772	2.1
Cuba.....	1,983,540,022	1,843,652,253	2,127,502,319	1,845,763,398	1,093,171,312	1,778,725,861	46.5
Puerto Rico.....	80,474,547	99,617,911	75,546,030	56,352,954	81,582,810	78,714,850	2.1
Brazil.....	178,404,072	114,598,997	258,447,122	180,262,039	191,457,878	184,634,021	4.8
British Guiana.....	139,570,854	159,061,559	134,455,359	110,848,960	146,433,256	138,073,998	3.6
Dutch Guiana.....	7,132,576	14,798,065	12,787,452	8,794,544	12,299,609	11,162,449	.3
China	6,855,086	10,575,216	21,189,075	23,696,923	31,827,859	18,828,822	.5
Dutch East Indies	140,956,946	183,492,832	288,013,620	280,464,270	567,670,780	292,119,689	7.6
Hongkong.....	2,906,073	7,847,396	11,203,629	8,351,495	12,046,973	8,471,113	.2
Hawaii.....	262,612,405	289,553,529	326,574,584	274,385,228	352,175,269	301,060,203	7.9
Philippine Islands	97,285,662	122,413,780	124,052,343	68,770,492	145,075,344	111,519,524	2.9
British Africa.....	8,031,573	.....	8,595,345	3,776,030	26,564,115	9,393,413	.3
Egypt.....	7,885,063	9,715,060	.....	23,250,815	100,335,317	28,237,239	.7
Other countries.....	2,675,194	12,358,226	11,582,522	16,162,679	15,611,403	11,668,005	.3
Total.....	3,556,509,165	3,766,445,347	4,345,193,881	3,574,510,454	3,896,338,557	3,827,799,481	100

a For values, see page 6.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

MOLASSES. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Canada.....	183, 801	155, 928	210, 175	97, 685	91, 255	147, 769	.9
British West Indies.....	833, 960	837, 631	954, 865	255, 954	399, 217	656, 325	4.2
Cuba.....	17, 955, 368	11, 861, 618	15, 893, 579	10, 269, 041	1, 710, 161	11, 587, 954	74.6
Puerto Rico.....	3, 312, 448	2, 502, 666	2, 554, 265	2, 038, 121	2, 256, 073	2, 532, 715	16.4
China.....				2, 572	188, 574	38, 229	.2
Hawaii.....	51, 139	67, 324	7, 370	51, 879	33, 705	42, 283	.3
Other countries.....	111, 493	65, 512	50, 407	2, 360, 627	8, 679	519, 344	3.4
Total.....	22, 448, 209	15, 490, 679	19, 670, 663	15, 075, 879	4, 687, 664	15, 474, 619	100

TEA. *a*

	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
United Kingdom.....	3, 305, 284	2, 547, 361	3, 744, 360	3, 622, 984	2, 665, 481	3, 177, 094	3.4
Canada.....	839, 062	785, 369	626, 572	1, 081, 972	293, 422	725, 279	.8
China.....	46, 718, 019	45, 653, 172	50, 405, 188	54, 700, 393	50, 916, 111	49, 678, 577	53.6
British East Indies.....	345, 721	164, 806	452, 317	502, 208	1, 239, 593	552, 929	.6
Hongkong.....	233, 836	281, 451	282, 404	304, 820	315, 788	283, 660	.3
Japan.....	38, 622, 956	39, 602, 519	37, 980, 937	36, 941, 394	38, 552, 467	38, 340, 055	41.3
Other countries.....	14, 161	26, 609	26, 939	39, 687	15, 510	24, 581	.....
Total.....	90, 079, 039	89, 061, 287	93, 518, 717	97, 253, 458	93, 998, 372	92, 782, 175	100

COFFEE. *a*

France.....	606, 526	1, 513, 133	10, 532, 822	3, 993, 555	1, 064, 725	3, 560, 152	.6
Germany.....	4, 610, 701	1, 089, 374	9, 038, 124	5, 648, 256	2, 527, 146	4, 582, 720	.8
Netherlands.....	3, 727, 573	6, 937, 056	4, 946, 519	5, 730, 170	3, 217, 603	4, 911, 784	.8
United Kingdom.....	1, 586, 331	3, 165, 011	8, 826, 659	5, 070, 634	5, 571, 734	4, 844, 074	.8
Central America—							
Costa Rica.....	8, 560, 428	13, 310, 617	12, 431, 806	17, 332, 632	17, 065, 026	13, 740, 102	2.3
Guatemala.....	17, 052, 118	14, 981, 839	13, 829, 301	16, 230, 232	12, 252, 737	14, 859, 245	2.5
Honduras.....	93, 926	96, 664	393, 707	583, 619	197, 804	273, 144	.1
Nicaragua.....	2, 862, 634	940, 003	2, 605, 636	3, 151, 539	1, 652, 937	2, 242, 550	.4
Salvador.....	14, 898, 127	7, 880, 932	18, 148, 884	21, 597, 325	7, 462, 687	13, 997, 591	2.3
Total Central America.....	43, 467, 233	37, 160, 055	47, 409, 334	58, 895, 347	38, 631, 191	45, 112, 632	7.6
Mexico.....	21, 921, 549	25, 417, 152	38, 160, 641	35, 262, 229	23, 975, 477	28, 947, 410	4.8
British West Indies.....	7, 049, 853	7, 002, 008	8, 266, 721	6, 189, 000	4, 052, 602	6, 512, 037	1.1
Haiti.....	14, 978, 577	7, 540	57, 048	12, 575, 538	6, 036, 606	6, 731, 062	1.1
Brazil.....	453, 010, 956	429, 423, 627	377, 825, 962	435, 871, 706	395, 106, 568	418, 247, 764	70
Colombia.....	11, 792, 738	7, 402, 545	2, 659, 100	10, 888, 132	19, 228, 311	10, 394, 165	1.7
Venezuela.....	53, 439, 785	15, 161, 558	16, 515, 888	52, 710, 462	52, 019, 994	37, 969, 538	6.4
British East Indies.....	1, 145, 917	2, 643, 470	1, 459, 218	3, 235, 675	4, 280, 191	2, 552, 894	.4
Dutch East Indies.....	13, 601, 216	18, 165, 033	15, 719, 819	8, 929, 680	15, 235, 133	14, 330, 176	2.4
Other countries.....	9, 181, 833	8, 381, 506	9, 516, 482	7, 208, 591	b 9, 650, 634	8, 787, 809	1.5
Total.....	640, 210, 788	563, 469, 068	550, 934, 337	652, 208, 975	580, 597, 915	597, 484, 217	100

COCOA. *a*

United Kingdom.....	1, 495, 384	1, 481, 997	481, 174	1, 879, 941	1, 894, 816	1, 446, 663	6.2
British West Indies.....	7, 478, 458	7, 502, 672	7, 241, 208	10, 517, 246	7, 514, 394	8, 050, 796	34.5
Haiti.....	2, 237, 035	899, 438	247, 605	363, 349	467, 375	842, 960	3.6
Brazil.....	3, 067, 242	3, 799, 413	1, 014, 012	4, 264, 701	3, 068, 758	3, 042, 825	13.1
Colombia.....	657, 080	249, 710	246, 804	587, 742	127, 335	373, 734	1.6
Ecuador.....	1, 806, 193	2, 751, 101	2, 143, 190	3, 886, 585	1, 922, 081	2, 501, 830	10.7
Dutch Guiana.....	2, 770, 536	4, 958, 129	4, 790, 124	5, 923, 634	6, 056, 832	4, 899, 851	21
Venezuela.....	1, 085, 972	809, 163	544, 926	644, 639	1, 005, 095	817, 950	3.5
British East Indies.....	323, 044	807, 274	187, 113	116, 462	102, 896	307, 358	1.3
Other countries.....	1, 034, 930	1, 201, 428	738, 623	1, 122, 749	1, 117, 015	1, 042, 949	4.5
Total.....	21, 955, 874	24, 460, 325	17, 634, 779	29, 307, 048	23, 276, 597	23, 326, 925	100

a For values, see page 7.

b Of this quantity 4,721,487 pounds were imported from Aden. The quantity imported from Aden in previous years was not separately stated.

Quantities of important agricultural products imported into the United States from the leading countries of supply during the five years ended June 30, 1896—Continued.

CURRENTS. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	
Greece	35,507,125	31,667,707	51,842,142	15,696,880	32,836,538	33,510,078
United Kingdom	1,089,858	1,476,196	609,003	680,916	204,246	812,044
Other countries	68,845	22,643	213,698	72,910	62	75,632
Total	36,665,828	33,166,546	52,664,843	16,450,706	33,040,846	34,397,754
						100

DATES. *a*

United Kingdom	12,099,679	11,303,026	7,860,564	5,781,225	6,079,721	8,624,843	57.8
Turkey, Asiatic		3,019,443	3,019,840	6,253,998	5,118,175	3,482,291	23.4
Other countries	4,984,878	1,889,437	1,527,788	3,151,566	2,482,406	2,807,215	18.8
Total	17,084,557	16,211,906	12,408,192	15,186,789	13,680,302	14,914,349	100

FIGS. *a*

United Kingdom	3,215,717	1,883,051	2,931,818	4,240,809	1,236,754	2,701,630	26.7
Turkey, Asiatic	4,904,942	8,426,723	4,634,268	7,294,131	10,283,906	7,108,794	70.3
Other countries	218,100	194,154	419,873	320,950	380,050	306,625	3
Total	8,338,759	10,503,928	7,985,959	11,855,890	11,900,710	10,117,049	100

PLUMS AND PRUNES. *a*

Austria-Hungary	3,754,394	15,115,488	2,289,322	1,642,551	2,756	4,560,902	36.8
France	3,520,440	3,178,448	6,998,376	12,053,885	420,045	5,234,239	42.2
Germany	3,560,412	7,985,655	495,633	571,621	46,608	2,531,986	20.4
Other countries	34,551	134,521	124,791	84,000	14,249	78,422	6
Total	10,869,797	26,414,112	9,908,122	14,352,057	483,658	12,405,549	100

RAISINS. *b*

Spain	17,310,511	20,857,900	9,501,074	9,542,274	3,470,969	12,196,546	68.5
United Kingdom	1,540,620	2,249,536	1,638,116	868,103	417,130	1,342,701	7.5
Turkey, Asiatic	1,765,724	4,404,355	2,447,235	5,228,717	6,907,680	4,150,742	23.3
Other countries	70,785	31,772	164,625	282,184	30,315	115,936	.7
Total	20,687,640	27,543,563	13,751,050	15,921,278	10,826,094	17,805,925	100

ALMONDS. *b*

France	1,058,601	2,177,974	1,463,527	2,631,669	1,788,233	1,824,001	24.3
Italy	1,607,365	1,413,360	1,392,416	2,221,409	1,486,586	1,624,227	21.7
Spain	4,128,571	2,212,067	3,972,497	2,282,714	4,178,720	3,354,914	44.8
United Kingdom	624,794	814,335	522,660	510,011	282,136	550,787	7.4
Other countries	210,061	61,411	85,684	257,572	54,006	133,747	1.8
Total	7,629,392	6,679,147	7,436,784	7,903,375	7,789,681	7,487,676	100

HAY. *c*

Canada	Tons. 79,678	Tons. 104,236	Tons. 86,754	Tons. 201,850	Tons. 302,644	Tons. 155,033	P. ct. 100
Other countries	37	21	30	50	8	29	.....
Total	79,715	104,257	86,784	201,900	302,652	155,062	100

a For values, see page 8.

b For values, see page 9.

c For values, see page 10.

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HOPS. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896. <i>b</i>	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
Austria-Hungary	<i>Pounds.</i> 144,599	<i>Pounds.</i> 125,138	<i>Pounds.</i> 88,777	<i>Pounds.</i> 86,086	<i>Pounds.</i> 57,914	<i>Pounds.</i> 100,503	<i>P. ct.</i> 4.2
Germany	2,208,779	2,517,679	704,172	2,864,298	2,680,563	2,195,098	92
Other countries	152,846	48,427	35,073	183,280	33,568	90,639	3.8
Total	2,506,224	2,691,244	828,022	3,133,664	2,772,045	2,386,240	100

INDIGO. *a*

Germany	17,029	68,112	11,329	70,274	44,912	42,331	1.4
Netherlands	26,210	82,172	10,106	27,299	26,011	34,360	1.2
United Kingdom	107,850	500,072	190,727	925,304	884,289	517,666	17.6
British East Indies ..	2,277,770	2,357,178	1,440,523	2,861,737	2,371,777	2,261,797	76.9
Other countries	32,808	218,778	65,849	72,282	33,012	84,546	2.9
Total	2,461,667	3,226,312	1,718,534	3,956,986	3,340,001	2,940,700	100

OIL, OLIVE. *a*

	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
France	222,534	261,332	205,089	261,695	278,791	245,888	31.8
Italy	431,322	379,150	506,647	461,215	610,332	477,733	61.7
Other countries	52,630	46,370	45,742	52,136	53,475	50,071	6.5
Total	706,486	686,852	757,478	775,046	942,598	773,692	100

OILS, VEGETABLE, VOLATILE OR ESSENTIAL. *c*

	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>Pounds.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
France	213,080	201,125	163,793			192,666	5.6
Germany	1,281,876	1,266,242	821,878			1,123,332	32.6
Italy	247,354	273,027	265,264			261,882	7.6
Turkey, European ..	2,159	2,374	1,417			1,983	.1
United Kingdom	855,722	1,064,352	881,110	(d)	(d)	933,728	27.1
British East Indies ..	465,525	387,781	242,971			365,426	10.6
Hongkong	71,000	125,750	47,197			81,316	2.4
Japan	280,453	634,199	279,605			398,085	11.5
Other countries	34,350	67,267	158,640			86,752	2.5
Total	8,451,519	4,022,117	2,861,875			3,445,170	100

OPIUM, CRUDE. *c*

Turkey, European	290,789	264,717	270,828	183,262	126,866	227,312	43
United Kingdom	70,062	138,784	222,665	31,825	49,198	102,547	19.4
Turkey, Asiatic	217,737	205,728	207,898	143,368	186,195	192,185	36.3
Other countries	8,530	6,728	15,290	.....	3,255	6,761	1.3
Total	587,118	615,957	716,881	358,455	365,514	528,805	100

RICE, RICE MEAL, AND BROKEN RICE. *c*

Germany	59,046,542	63,911,049	57,592,434	109,091,207	76,631,164	73,254,479	45.6
Italy	478,627	725,949	648,906	894,056	901,592	729,826	.5
Netherlands	143,936	22,400	2,068,497	10,733,022	698,419	2,733,255	1.7
United Kingdom	11,760,456	14,516,868	12,281,985	8,829,497	7,290,095	10,935,780	6.8
China	30,870,205	32,603,476	33,727,366	40,473,266	27,219,663	32,978,795	20.5
British East Indies ..	5,926,060	3,813,480	1,684,921	5,131,923	2,129,724	3,737,222	2.3
Hongkong	5,078,163	4,513,347	2,906,193	4,240,319	2,603,734	3,868,351	2.4
Japan	26,162,463	18,293,273	21,538,650	34,251,824	24,482,909	24,945,824	15.5
Hawaii	7,489,700	8,473,800	9,138,373	5,144,087	4,354,500	6,920,092	4.3
Other countries	1,147,536	610,186	574,492	775,119	412,807	704,028	.4
Total	148,103,688	147,483,828	142,161,817	219,564,320	146,724,607	160,807,652	100

a For values, see page 10.

b The annual averages here given for "Oils, vegetable, volatile, or essential" relate only to the years 1892, 1893, and 1894, no figures being stated for the two succeeding years.

c For values, see page 11. *d* Not separately stated.

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LINSEED. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		
United Kingdom.....	Bushels. 32,077	Bushels. 75,524	Bushels. 307,342	Bushels. 1,888,267	Bushels. 265,909	Bushels. 513,824	P. ct. 43.5
Argentina.....				644,341	179,417	164,752	13.9
British East Indies.....	252,772	35,782	285,377	1,279,968	192,963	409,372	34.6
Other countries.....	291	709	101	353,646	116,218	94,193	8
Total.....	285,140	112,015	592,820	4,166,222	754,597	1,182,141	100

NUTMEGS. *a*

	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	Pounds.	P. ct.
Netherlands.....	507,537	330,350	356,013	613,213	623,828	486,188	34
British East Indies.....	654,268	799,349	548,422	796,314	501,073	659,885	46.1
Dutch East Indies.....	307,678	184,295	172,465	180,612	138,994	196,809	13.8
Other countries.....	111,122	105,642	63,978	62,474	91,525	86,948	6.1
Total.....	1,580,605	1,419,636	1,140,878	1,652,613	1,355,420	1,429,830	100

PEPPER, UNGROUND. *b*

Netherlands.....	148,765	188,382	843,494	1,798,608	930,557	781,961	4.6
United Kingdom.....	6,290,604	8,674,967	2,703,689	2,970,563	2,858,577	4,699,680	27.3
British East Indies.....	7,745,245	11,858,432	8,496,391	15,304,564	11,962,690	11,073,464	64.2
Other countries.....	614,708	745,494	720,641	428,102	892,939	680,377	3.9
Total.....	14,799,322	21,467,275	12,764,215	20,501,837	16,644,763	17,235,482	100

SPICES, UNGROUND, NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED. *b*

Netherlands.....	388,583	424,525	374,211	428,928	597,406	442,731	2.7
United Kingdom.....	1,587,687	3,540,929	3,588,568	5,055,891	4,410,166	3,636,648	21.8
British West Indies.....	3,319,992	5,101,413	5,387,748	4,972,870	5,714,599	4,899,324	29.4
China.....	3,912,197	3,237,740	1,342,829	2,084,341	3,533,890	2,822,201	16.9
British East Indies.....	289,522	290,134	861,473	1,349,803	1,371,178	832,422	5
Dutch East Indies.....	997,947	877,100	870,178	1,346,059	762,276	970,712	5.8
Hongkong.....	471,137	473,169	348,833	638,319	585,456	503,383	3
Africa <i>c</i>	3,128,532	2,304,216	1,551,052	1,762,947	1,469,867	2,043,323	12.3
Other countries.....	415,854	612,988	532,786	240,406	748,751	510,157	3.1
Total.....	14,511,451	16,862,214	14,857,688	17,879,564	19,193,589	16,660,901	100

TOBACCO, LEAF, SUITABLE FOR CIGAR WRAPPERS. *b*

Germany.....	255,310	407,565	387,658	318,275	117,094	297,180	6.1
Netherlands.....	2,655,190	5,372,392	3,869,920	5,104,495	4,302,662	4,260,932	87.6
Canada.....	9,368	74,520	77,443	213,508	738,480	222,664	4.6
Cuba.....	121,023	48,446	103,518	28,133	22,406	64,705	1.3
Other countries.....	32,284	16,280	8,769	14,841	31,210	20,677	.4
Total.....	3,073,175	5,919,203	4,447,308	5,679,252	5,211,852	4,866,158	100

TOBACCO, LEAF, OTHER. *b*

Germany.....	299,077	101,641	55,244	109,947	51,477	123,477	.6
United Kingdom.....	151,562	145,167	199,348	56,240	196,252	149,714	.7
Canada.....	46,725	106,886	143,904	240,746	411,136	195,880	.9
Cuba.....	18,311,300	21,646,445	14,474,730	20,147,487	26,748,911	20,365,775	96.5
Turkey, Asiatic.....	11,700	95,566	23,844	173,048	103,544	81,540	.4
Other countries.....	94,996	95,470	318,851	261,541	171,794	188,536	
Total.....	18,915,360	22,191,175	15,215,951	20,989,009	27,713,114	21,004,922	100

a For values, see page 11. *b* For values, see page 12. *c* Not including Liberia and British Africa.

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VANILLA BEANS. *a*

Countries from which imported.	Years ended June 30—					Annual average, 1892-1896.	
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Pounds.	P. ct.
France.....	17,869	24,228	34,112	19,918	15,402	22,306	10.9
Mexico.....	183,729	170,620	101,111	90,753	167,425	142,727	69.5
Other countries.....	41,041	43,885	36,333	26,625	52,936	40,164	19.6
Total.....	242,639	238,733	171,556	137,296	235,763	205,197	100

BEANS AND PEAS. *a*

	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>Bushels.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
Austria-Hungary.....	51,147	811,416	424,422	582,867	34,371	380,845	31.9
Germany.....	51,498	155,465	60,466	36,798	2,129	61,271	5.1
France.....	15,230	89,142	49,536	89,512	4,629	49,610	4.2
Italy.....	35,744	20,785	21,851	65,416	26,558	34,071	2.9
Canada.....	665,691	572,311	556,479	671,296	519,675	597,090	50.1
Mexico.....	9,366	14,194	8,234	58,376	13,205	20,675	1.7
Other countries.....	45,374	91,630	63,093	31,695	13,234	49,005	4.1
Total.....	874,050	1,754,943	1,184,081	1,535,960	613,801	1,192,567	100

POTATOES. *b*

United Kingdom.....	2,344	2,711,488	1,995,214	255,153	15	992,843	55
Bermuda.....	70,318	74,638	64,993	70,073	65,853	69,175	3.8
Canada.....	68,976	931,181	784,882	975,840	76,829	567,542	31.5
Other countries.....	45,233	599,714	157,489	40,467	32,543	175,089	9.7
Total.....	186,871	4,317,021	3,002,578	1,341,533	175,240	1,804,649	100

CHAMPAGNE AND OTHER SPARKLING WINES. *b*

	<i>Doz. bottles.</i>	Doz. bottles.	Doz. bottles.	Doz. bottles.	Doz. bottles.	Doz. bottles.	<i>P. ct.</i>
Belgium.....	7,544	3,446	3,159	5,927	9,332	5,882	2.1
France.....	300,618	359,063	224,942	214,172	225,044	270,768	94.3
Germany.....	6,900	5,963	2,574	3,001	3,984	4,484	1.6
United Kingdom.....	3,518	4,106	4,617	3,982	7,104	4,665	1.6
Other countries.....	1,012	1,546	2,068	675	929	1,246	.4
Total.....	319,592	374,124	237,360	257,757	246,393	287,045	100

WINES, STILL. *b*

	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>Gallons.</i>	<i>P. ct.</i>
France.....	1,099,258	1,005,486	692,664	816,826	795,464	863,939	22.4
Germany.....	1,525,586	1,634,170	1,141,931	1,330,052	1,352,421	1,396,832	36.2
Italy.....	297,855	405,031	322,284	329,102	389,616	348,778	9.1
Portugal.....	115,843	119,835	96,093	79,063	93,873	100,941	2.6
Spain.....	1,034,151	1,031,925	793,255	724,966	723,743	861,608	22.3
United Kingdom.....	101,258	79,309	80,982	72,612	85,565	83,945	2.2
Other countries.....	270,374	243,133	183,117	148,802	148,272	198,740	5.2
Total.....	4,354,325	4,518,889	3,310,326	3,501,423	3,588,954	3,854,783	100

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